

NEWS FROM
ONE HUNDRED LIVE CORRESPONDENTS
EASTERN CONNECTICUT AND WESTERN RHODE ISLAND.Who is Going and Coming—Incidents, Accidents
and Building in Three Counties.

New London County

GALES FERRY

Business Session of Epworth League
Valentine Social—Notes and Personal.

A quarterly business session of the Epworth League was held last week at the M. E. church at Gales Ferry. The Thursday evening prayer service was held at the same place. It was voted to increase the yearly dues of the active members of the league. It was also voted to provide a fund from the treasury of the league for the purchase of floral tributes, and it was given for church benevolences. Rufus Hurlbut was appointed chairman of the committee.

Mrs. Franklin H. Brown of Norwich called on friends at the ferry on Monday.

Mrs. William Brooks of Hartford has been a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Dolphine Fish.

Miss Florence Hurlbut was an over Sunday guest of Miss Mildred Hand in New London.

Entertained Reading Club.

The Reading club was entertained on Friday afternoon by Miss Sarah Latimer, there being an increased attendance at the session. The readers for the afternoon were Mrs. Latimer, Miss Laura Perkins and Mrs. Courtland E. Colver. The reading began at the last meeting was completed and Stoddard's lecture on Norway was taken up.

Valentine Party.

Miss Mildred Voorhees gave a Valentine party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Voorhees, to the children of the village school on Valentine's day, entertaining from 4 to 8 o'clock. Guests were also in attendance from Norwich, Uncasville and Groton.

Nathan A. Gibbs of Norwich was a caller at his summer home on Saturday afternoon.

Patriotic Social.

A patriotic evening was observed on Friday under the auspices of the Epworth League at the M. E. church, the vestry being appropriately decorated for the occasion with patriotic emblems. The following programme of musical selections and readings was rendered:

Philo, duet, Historical Pageant, Mrs. Eugene LaFontaine, Miss Alice Satterlee, solo, Rose, White and Red, Rev. C. Wilson Harrison; solo, Patrioticism, Miss Florence H. Hurlbut; reading, poem, The Patriot's Daughter, Mrs. Harlan N. Hurlbut; solo, Beautiful Day, Miss Ruth M. Lawrence; reading, The Cruise of the Romeo (a true story as told by F. R. H.), Mrs. Courtland E. Colver; solo, Cherry Ripe, Miss Grace A. Chapman; reading, The Captain's Daughter, Mrs. Hurlbut; piano solo, Alumni Reunion, Miss Jennie J. Perkins; hymn, America.

Quitting contests, in keeping with the spirit of the occasion, with pictures taken in silhouettes by Miss Florence Hurlbut were other features of the evening's entertainment, followed by refreshments. Miss Grace Chapman and Rufus Hurlbut were awarded the prizes in the guessing contests.

LEFFINGWELL

Party in Honor of Miss M. Bentley—Personal Items.

Raymond Britton of Norwich was a recent caller at Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Rathbun's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sheldon of East Great Plain were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest L. Loring.

Harry Wilcox of Jewett City was a recent visitor at the parsonage.

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Notwithstanding the great depth which the frost has reached the present winter, the roads in some places are already breaking through to such an extent that it is probable a horse was thrown down and the wagon broken.

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Mrs. Elijah Munger, Mrs. J. W. Knappenberg, L. Sheldon Munger, Mrs. J. D. Hobson and Miss M. J. Manwaring were at Groton Thursday attending the New London county Christian Endeavor convention as delegates from the Congregational church here.

Mrs. Adam F. Bishop is ill with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Smith returned from Deep River Tuesday.

E. P. Beckwith is able to be out after a short illness.

Mrs. Fannie Darrow has returned to New London.

Mrs. J. P. McCoy is visiting in Providence.

Conductor W. J. Manwaring of the Groton Haven road visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Manwaring, Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Davis and Miss Nan Davis are visiting in Hartford.

Appraising Harrington Estate.

Deacon James E. White and T. J. Hill were in Pine Grove Tuesday appraising the property of Mrs. Ellen A. Harrington.

A. P. DeWolf was in New Haven last week attending a banquet at the Hotel Taft given by the Lumber Dealers' association, of which he is a member.

A furniture van from New London was in the village Tuesday. A couple of men were unloading the furniture into George Howard's house in Main street.

Miss Eunice Parke has returned to Stafford Springs after a visit to Miss Frances Luce in Pennsylvania avenue.

Lincoln G. Luce was a visitor in Stafford Springs Saturday.

Rev. H. H. Johnson, a conductor on the East Lyme street railway.

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